

It Makes Cents

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person is responsible for his pal and should remain with him (or her) at all times.

Dear Readers: When I was growing up, we brushed our teeth with salt and/or baking soda or just with plain hand soap simply because we could not afford toothpaste. All during my adult life, when I could afford toothpaste, I've found myself going back to baking soda occasionally simply because it makes my teeth look and feel so much cleaner.

Now, to my amusement and delight, I hear on television, a retiring periodontist (a man who has spent his entire life studying and healing diseases of the gums) declare to the world that brushing with baking soda will keep the gums healthy. He said, in fact, that he has never seen a serious case of gum disorder of any kind in a person who habitually brushes with baking soda, but he has seen countless severe cases cured by this simple remedy. In his opinion diseases of the gum

and thoroughly with baking soda.

E pluribus unim, "let the buyer beware." We get so brain-washed by high-powered advertising we soon view as necessities countless new products manufacturers advertise so skillfully. The ultimate insult comes, in my humble opinion, when they laud some old and tried folk remedy as a startling new discovery. *Cornstarch* in baby powder. Why, my old family doctor 40 years ago told me there was nothing better than plain cornstarch to keep baby's bottom dry and comfortable. *Vinegar* in douch solutions for vaginal discomfort. We always used a mild vinegar solution. *Eggs* in shampoos. *Lemon* in shampoos. I can't remember when I didn't know that both were excellent for luxuriously healthy hair.

Well, if we're gullible enough to buy these wonderful new products containing ingredients so common--and cheap, I guess we deserve to pay the price.

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